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INTO THE FIRE: When no one can... Daniel 2 (p. 613)

The Setup (1-13)

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Impossible moments reveal how well you K N O W G O D.

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The Result (19-30)

~ NO ONE CAN... BUT THERE IS A GOD IN HEAVEN ~

If you know God, you know <u>NOTHING</u> is **IMPOSSIBLE** for Him.

The Blessing (46-49)

GOD BLESSES THE FAITHFUL IN THE FIRE

The Bigger Lesson (31-45)

MATTHEW 12:28, MATTHEW 16:18-19, LUKE 17:20-21

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Take it Home

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